

## MEMORANDUM

June 17, 2003

File No. 03-061702

TO:           Lewis County, Planning Director           Environmental Coordinator, DOE  
              S. Bell/S. Brummer/M. Ellenburg, DFW       Chehalis River Basin Fisheries  
              Quinault Business Committee           Chehalis Indian Tribe  
              Squaxin Indian Tribe                   Birchfield, LLC, Proponent

FROM:       Jenifer Gitchell, SEPA Center

SUBJECT:    **SEPA LEAD AGENCY & DETERMINATION OF NONSIGNIFICANCE**

This is to advise you that pursuant to WAC 197-11-900 (922 through 948), the Department of Natural Resources has determined that it is Lead Agency for the following:

**Forest Practice Application #2511059, an even aged harvest of approximately 112 acres with conversion to ten home sites and 3,286 feet of new road construction. Located in Section 10, Township 13 North, Range 01 West, and Section(s) 14 and 15, Township 13, Range 01 West, W.M., Lewis County.**

Information about this proposal including the Threshold Determination, SEPA Checklist and Forest Practice Application can be viewed on DNR's website at:

<http://www.dnr.wa.gov/sepa>

Pursuant to WAC 332-41-504, this proposal was filed in the department's SEPA Center at the Natural Resources Building, 1111 Washington Street SE, P.O. Box 47015, Olympia, Washington, on June 17, 2003. We will consider comments on this proposed MDNS received by 4:30 p.m. on July 1, 2003. **Comments should be submitted to the SEPA Center at, [sepacenter@wadnr.gov](mailto:sepacenter@wadnr.gov) or P.O. Box 47015, Olympia, Washington 98504-7015 for distribution to the responsible official. Please include the file number listed above on all comments.**